

## MADE CONFESSION AT THE END OF A ROPE.

HUNDREDS OF MEN AND SCORES OF BLOODHOUNDS ARE ON  
THE TRAIL OF THE NEGRO MUR-  
DERER.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 29.—"Bossie" Francis, the negro who outraged and murdered Miss Mary Henderson on Tuesday night, is believed to have been located in a mine pit in a negro settlement six miles north of Holden, and within a mile of Columbus, the scene of the crime. There seems no doubt that the murderer is hiding in that vicinity, but there are so many favorable places there in which he may secure himself that Francis may elude his pursuers almost indefinitely. The view to his whereabouts was obtained by stringing up three negroes who lived near the Hyatt farm at Columbus. The mob had spent the entire night searching for the negro.

Finally, after midnight, they came upon Emmett Davenport and Charles Briscoe, who lived near Columbus, and Bud Francis, a brother of the murderer, between Columbus and Holden. The men acted suspiciously, but declared that they knew nothing about Francis' whereabouts. To make them talk it was decided to string all three up. After Davenport and Francis had been hanged for a few moments he became terror-stricken and motioned to be let down.

Davenport said that Bud Francis had told him he was to meet the murderer last night at the Fort-Murray coal mine, six miles north of Holden, when he was to give "Bossie" eighteen dollars that Briscoe owed him. Bud Francis had, Davenport said, taken Davenport and Briscoe with him, and made them go into the mine to find the murderer. He declared that they had not found Francis.

Davenport, Briscoe and Bud Francis were hurried before the mob to the place indicated by Davenport. The mob worked

hard and long, but to no avail, and only gave up when relieved at daybreak by hundreds of other armed men, who took up the hunt where the night shift had left off.

The three negroes were finally sent to Warrensburg and placed in jail for safe keeping, and surrounding towns were wired for bloodhounds. Until these arrive this afternoon it is not believed any progress will be made.

The spot where Francis is believed to be hiding is in a negro settlement. The surroundings are favorable for him, both because he has many friends there and because the mine and the thick brush afford ideal hiding places. Every white man in the neighborhood is on the alert, however, and as every avenue of escape is well guarded Francis will surely be captured in time. Francis is known to be armed, and if he is finally located in the mine it will doubtless become necessary to starve him out. As but few men could enter the pit at a time, they would be at the mercy of the murderer.

The funeral of the murdered woman was held this morning.

A special to the Star from Odessa, Mo., says:

"Bloodhounds were started from here for the scene of the murder this morning. There is great excitement at Odessa and mobs are reported forming there every hour to join the chase."

A special to the Star from Warrensburg says:

After it became known that the negroes who were strung up last night to make them talk had been brought here a mob of 100 people gathered around the jail. Excitement is running high and the crowd about the jail is growing.

## TEMPLARS ARE DOWN TO BUSINESS

Texas Man is Named to Succeed  
Reuben H. Lloyd of  
San Francisco.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 29.—The Grand Encampment of Knights Templar today elected Henry Bates Stoddard of Bryan, Tex., Grand Commander, to succeed Reuben H. Lloyd of California. Colonel George M. Moulton, of Chicago, was elected to succeed Mr. Stoddard as Deputy Grand Master.

Rev. H. W. Rugg of Rhode Island, was advanced one rank to the office of Grand Generalissimo, made vacant by the election of Colonel Moulton.

William E. Melish of Cincinnati was elected to succeed Rugg as Captain General, while Joseph A. Locks of Portland, Me., the Junior Grand Warden, was made Senior Grand Warden.

These officers were elected without opposition. The only contest came in the selection of Junior Grand Warden. There were fifteen candidates. On the first ballot Frank H. Thomas, of Washington, D. C., received 137 votes. The second ballot gave the office to Thomas, he receiving 185 out of 208 votes.

## NO ACTION ON HAYES' RESIGNATION.

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—The directors of the Southern Pacific Company met to-day, but transacted only routine business. It was stated that no action was taken on the resignation of President Hays.

The executive committee of the Union Pacific Railway also held a brief session at which it was said only routine business was considered.

## SAN FRANCISCO IS SELECTED.

LOUISVILLE, Aug. 29.—At the meeting of the Knights Templar to-day San Francisco was selected as the next place of meeting, beginning the first Tuesday in September, 1904. No other invitations were presented.

## W. R. DAVIS HAS NOT MADE A COMPROMISE.

There has been something of a flurry over the story which has come from Oakland that W. R. Davis and Dr. George C. Pardee have arranged their affairs so that Pardee is to get into the fight for the gubernatorial nomination, while Davis is to plump right in and contest with Perkins for the Sanatorship. That is quite enough to start a flurry.—Examiner today.

In reference to the above statement William R. Davis said today: "I do not know how the party was able to make the announcement. Small things, however, can sometimes resemble great ones in some particular respect, and this is like the old problem, how matter was created out of nothingness."

## PASSENGERS ON STEAMER IN A PANIC.

CITY OF CLIFTON STRIKES  
SNAG AND GOES TO BOT-  
TOM OF RIVER.

Women Fainted on the Deck, But  
Everybody Was  
Rescued.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 29.—The steamer City of Clifton, owned by the St. Louis and Tennessee River Packet Company, sank at 66 landing, about fifteen miles above Grand Tower, Ill.

She was bound for St. Louis and her cargo consisted mostly of lumber.

Her passengers, who were transferred, arrived here safely on the steamer Chester.

The boat sank in nine feet of water and will be saved. The sinking was caused by a break, the extent of which could not be learned.

Returning passengers say there were more than eighty travelers on board when the steamer struck a hidden snag in midstream and went down. No lives were lost and no one was injured.

The accident, however, threw the passengers into a panic and several women fainted.

Within three minutes of the time of striking the obstruction, the City of Clifton was resting on the bottom of the river in eight or nine feet of water.

Captain R. W. McCoy, master of the boat, ordered all the passengers to the upper deck as soon as she struck the lower deck being covered with water. There they stayed for four hours until taken off by the City of Chester.

The Clifton was nearly new, having been built a year ago at a cost of \$50,000.

## IN SEARCH OF THE NORTH POLE

Baldwin Makes the Start on His  
Weary Trip to the  
North.

CHRISTIANA, Norway, Aug. 29.—The steamer Fridtjof arrived at Christiania today and reports that she successfully handled the Baldwin-Ziegler Arctic expedition at Camp Ziegler, in latitude 80.24 north and longitude 55.52 east on Alger Island.

All of the members of the expedition are in good health and the dogs and ponies were in excellent condition after their month's voyage.

The Fridtjof left Camp Ziegler August 28.

The weather conditions were favorable for an advance of the expedition.

Mr. Baldwin intended to start northward August 24 by what is called the interchannel route, across Markham Sound, and between Austria Sound and the British channel.

CANNOT BE SENT  
TO LEPER SETTLEMENT.

St. Louis Officials Have a Strick-  
en Chinese That They Can-  
not Get Rid of.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 29.—Surgeon Wyman has notified Health Commissioner Starkoff of this city that Dong Gong, the Chinese laundryman who was discovered here suffering with leprosy, cannot be sent to the leper settlement at Molokai, Hawaiian Islands.

As a last resort, Dr. Starkoff intends to lay the case before the Governor of Louisiana and ask that Dong Gong be received at the leper settlement of that State.

DOES NOT TAKE ANY  
STOCK IN HIS PLAN.

Settlement of the Great Steel  
Strike Will Not Be  
Discussed.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 29.—The plan of arbitration for the settlement of the great steel strike, submitted by Simon Burns, president of L. A. 3302, National Organization of Window Glass Workers, and also the head of the Knights of Labor, has been rejected by President Schwab of the Steel Trust. Another proposition will be submitted to him by Mr. Burns tomorrow.

BUILDING FALLS AND  
ONE MAN IS KILLED.

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—The collapse of a three-story frame building at 7 a. m.—New York, Boston, and Philadelphia, 70; Washington, Chicago and St. Louis, 72; Minneapolis, 66; Cincinnati, 70.

## ELEVEN DEAD IS THE RECORD.

ASSISTANT ENGINEER HAD A  
PRESENTIMENT THAT VES-  
SEL WOULD BLOW UP.

All Night Long the Firemen Work-  
ed to Recover the  
Bodies.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 29.—Eleven known dead, nine missing and thirty-two injured is the record made by the explosion of the boilers of the steamboat City of Trenton on the Delaware River yesterday afternoon.

All night city firemen, policemen and officials and employees of the Wilmington Steamboat Company, which owned the ill-fated vessel, worked in and around the burned and blackened hull searching for bodies of victims of the disaster. Hundreds of men are dragging the river bottom with grappling irons and will continue to do so until every person that was on the boat is accounted for.

Of the eleven bodies recovered ten have been identified.

An unidentified body is so badly burned that its sex cannot be determined.

Of the thirty-two injured persons taken to the hospital attached to the Philadelphia House of Correction, all are reported as doing well today and it is not believed any of them will die.

The widow of the assistant engineer, John P. Chew, said that before leaving home for work Tuesday night her husband said:

"Lizzie, I may never see you again. I have a presentiment that there will be an explosion on the boat. They are running at too high a steam pressure, and if an accident should occur I and many others will be killed."

Augustus Reinhardt, an expert machinist employed by the Neale and Levy Shipbuilding Company, builder of the City of Trenton, recently overhauled the boat's boilers.

He gave it as his opinion that the boat was being run too fast and this exhausted the water in the boilers.

The captain and other officers of the boat and the officials of the company deny emphatically the statement that the City of Trenton was racing with the steamer Twilight.

Superintendent of Police Quirk declared today that the matter will be thoroughly investigated by his department and if charges of negligence are sustained the officers and crew of the wrecked steamer will be arrested.

## SANTA FE IS GIVEN FRANCHISE

San Francisco Supervisors Say  
Road Can Lay New  
Tracks.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—The Street Committee of the Board of Supervisors today agreed to adopt a resolution granting permission to the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Company to lay tracks in the Potrero.

The tracks are to be used in the work of filling up China basin, which is to be converted into warehouse and depot sites. At the last session of the Legislature China basin was leased to the company, together with a section of the sea wall.

Upwards of \$500,000 are to be expended by the company in improving the property.

The Santa Fe recently purchased nineteen blocks of hilly land in the Potrero district and this land will be graded, the rock being used in filling up China basin.

THEY TOOK THE  
TORPEDO FROM SHORE.

British Naval Men Have a Little  
Trouble With the  
Spaniards.

MADRID, Aug. 29.—While the British fleet in Spanish waters was maneuvering today a torpedo which had been launched stranded on the shore in front of La Linea. A party of man-of-war-men was sent to recover it, but were prevented from doing so by a detachment of Spanish carabinieri.

The landing party was strongly reinforced from the fleet, overpowered the carabinieri and took the torpedo.

EASTERN WEATHER.

CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—Temperatures at 7 a. m.—New York, Boston, and Philadelphia, 70; Washington, Chicago and St. Louis, 72; Minneapolis, 66; Cincinnati, 70.

## FOOTBALL RALLY AT UNIVERSITY

NO EASTERN COACHES WILL  
BE CALLED TO BERKELEY  
THIS YEAR.

Professors and Students Have  
an Interesting Session  
in North Hall.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, August 29.—At a meeting of the football squad in room 18, North Hall, this morning at 11 o'clock unanimous gratification was expressed over the plan which is to be tried this season, of having graduate coaches.

The session, which was called to order by Graduate Manager Ezra Decoto, resolved itself into an informal conference. In taking the chair, Mr. Decoto said:

"You have been called together to be informed of what will be expected of you this season. I ask you to give me a square deal and I will do the same by you."

Professor L. Du Pont Style said in part: "I believe in football or I would not be here. It gratifies me to know that you have changed your policy regarding the engaging of Eastern coaches. I hope you will not show too much of a jubilant spirit before the game. That is a first class way to lose."

Enthusiasm grew as the meeting progressed and when Head-Coach Frank Simpson arose to speak he was given an ovation.

"We must have harmony between the coaches and men" said Mr. Simpson. "I do not believe in calling down the men on the field. I want to say for the coaches and captain that the best men will be given places on the 'Varsity irrespective of classes or of whom they are."

Professor George C. Edwards stated that he believed the graduate coaches will have more sympathy with the player. Short addresses were made by Trainer Christy, "Red" Wormile and Everett J. Brown.

## SHOWING MEN HOW TO WORK.

Non-Union Workmen Are Being  
Taught the Tin-Plate  
Business.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 29.—The strike situation continues quiet and devoid of interesting features. While the strikers still express satisfaction with the prevailing conditions, the steel corporation is slowly but steadily increasing its forces at the plants already in operation and is preparing to open new mills. With this end in view the American Tin Plate Company is said to have made its Star plant of this city a school of instruction. Skilled men in charge are instructing other men in the mysteries of tin plate making.

When the novices show a sufficient degree of proficiency they are to be sent to other plants. The Amalgamated officials claim that the Star plant is so small that it would take many years to turn out enough men there to work the other plants.

President Shaffer said today there was no truth in the report that the Amalgamated Association was making efforts to effect a settlement of the strike by trying to force the United States Steel Corporation into arbitration through the courts and that Hon. John R. Byrne a small stockholder and former labor leader, had been requested to join in a petition asking for the appointment of a board. This statement was also denied by Mr. Byrne in a dispatch to the Associated Press this morning.

EX-GOVERNOR IS DEAD.

LACONIA, N. H., Aug. 29.—Charles A. Busiel, formerly Governor of New Hampshire, died today, aged 59 years.

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## WITTMAN DEMANDS A JURY TRIAL.

SAN FRANCISCO POLICE CAP-  
TAIN WILL BE GIVEN  
HARD BATTLE.

Attorneys Object to the Police  
Serving Subpoenas  
in Case.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—Captain of Police George Wittman, charged with battery by James Masse, a marine engineer, who claims to have been assaulted without provocation by Wittman, had a hearing before Judge Cabaniss today and demanded a jury trial.

The attorney for Masse objected to the service of subpoenas being made by the police department and Wittman's attorneys demanded that the subpoenas go through the usual channel.

After some argument Judge Cabaniss took the matter under advisement until tomorrow.

## ANATHEMAS FOR HIS PROSECUTORS

George O'Brien Executed at  
Dawson--Protested His  
Innocence.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 29.—The steamer City of Seattle, arriving today from Skagway, brings news of the hanging at Dawson on August 23 of George O'Brien for the brutal murder of Lynn Red, Fred Clayton and Lineman Olsen, on Christmas day, 1899.

Protesting his innocence to "a last, O'Brien mounted the scaffold without a tremor and, standing erect on the trap, hurled anathemas on the heads of those who were instrumental in bringing about his conviction. When asked to confess his crime, he stoutly maintained his innocence.

The drop fell at 7:40. There was scarcely a tremor of the body. At 7:50 O'Brien was pronounced dead. A large crowd witnessed the execution, which took place on a scaffold erected in front of the barracks.

BRITISH BARK IS  
STRANDED NEAR RIVER.

Crew is Saved and Powerful  
Tugs Are Trying to Float  
the Vessel.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—The Merchants' Exchange posts the following bulletin:

"British bark Baroda, bound from Calcutta for Portland, Ore., stranded eight miles south of Coquille River. Sea smooth; crew saved. Good prospects for floating vessel if assistance of powerful tugs can be obtained immediately."

PEREMPTORY AUCTION.

On Friday, August 31, at 2 P. M., at Montana Hall, 1150 Seventh street, near Adeline, by order of T. W. Conder, Real estate contents of above hall, Emerson piano, lodge furniture, 180 yards carpet, 90 good chairs, two office desks, Princeton range, stoves, etc., on account of remodeling building. Dealers attend. Everything must be sold.

OSCAR S. MEYER, & SON,  
Auctioneers.  
Office 429 Fourteenth street near Broadway.

## THE EYES

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## BERKELEY MAN IS BEATEN.

NEARLY KILLED BY TWO  
FOOTPADS WHO WERE  
AFTER MONEY.

Robbers Left Their Victim for  
Dead and Got Away  
With \$103.

BERKELEY, Aug. 29.—The footpads are operating in Berkeley.

Last evening, as Daniel Woolley was en route home on Alcatraz between Ellis and King streets, two footpads attacked him and nearly beat him to death.

He lay unconscious for hours, when he was found by Chas. Griffith, John Crew and A. Eshop.

Woolley was beaten about the head in a most brutal manner and will be laid up for months.

The robbers secured \$95 in gold and \$8 in silver.

The police have no clew.

## PUT TO DEATH IN THE ELECTRIC CHAIR.

Three Shocks Were Given the  
Condemned Man Before  
He Died.

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—Joseph Zacheo, who stabbed his mother-in-law, Mrs. Caroline Mucello, to death at Tompkinsville, S. I., January 10, 1900, was put to death today in the electric chair at Sing Sing prison.

Three shocks were given before he was pronounced dead.

WILL NOT RETURN  
TO SULTAN'S HOME.

M. Constans Says Trouble Must  
Be Settled Before He  
Goes Back.

PARIS, Aug. 29.—M. Constans, the French Ambassador to Turkey, arrived in Paris today from Constantinople and had a conference with the Foreign Minister, M. Delcasse.

In an interview afterwards, M. Constans said he would not return to Constantinople until the dispute was settled.

M. Delcasse, at today's conference, confirmed the statement that M. Constans had acted in perfect accord with the views of the government.

The Ambassador did not think the Sultan would hold out very long, while as to the possibility of war between France and Turkey, M. Constans said, it was quite out of the question.

TURKEY TALKS OF  
THE FRENCH CLAIMS.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Wednesday, Aug. 28.—The Turkish Ministry discussed the French claims yesterday. It is believed that full satisfaction will be given to France.

STEAMER IS DESTROYED  
BY A FIRE AT DOCK.

WHITEHALL, N. Y., Aug. 29.—The steamer "Klondyke," belonging to the Champlain Transportation Company, plying between Baldwin and Cumberland on Lake George, was destroyed by fire today at Rogers' Dry Dock. No lives were lost.

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Typewriter Carbon

A good carbon—bought to sell at a low price—35c per dozen sheets, or \$2.00 per box of 100.

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Several splendid values in good qualities.

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Extra thick—Art Cloth sides—Special 25c dozen, or \$2.50 gross. Special bargains in other lines for today, tomorrow and Friday—see window on corner.

Smith Bros.

Booksellers Stationers Art Dealers Twelfth and Washington Sts.

USED KNOCKOUT DROPS ON THEIR VICTIMS.

Dangerous Couple is Now in Jail in Los Angeles.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—The police of this city are endeavoring to fasten upon Freda Burt and Joseph Burke, arrested in Los Angeles, a number of crimes perpetrated in this city. The couple operate while working as servants in private homes and taking advantage of their positions to rob their employers of valuables. The woman also operated in cafes and other public places, using knockout drops on her unwary victims. Both are known to the police from Alaska to San Diego.

WILL HOLD AN ELECTION AT FRUITVALE.

An election will be held in Fruitvale School District on Friday for the purpose of determining whether a High School District shall be formed. The polling place will be at the Fruitvale School House on Fruitvale avenue, corner of Tallant street. The polls will be open from 8 a. m. to 6:30 p. m. The opinion seems to be divided as to the necessity of the new High School in the district. Some people say that the present lower and school house is not finished nor filled and that already the taxes in the district are very heavy. They claim that there is only a very few pupils from Fruitvale now attending the High School down town and therefore the additional expense of a High School is not warranted. Superintendent Crawford was away today and his views on the subject could not be ascertained.

STRIKE COMMITTEES DID NOT MEET.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—It was announced this afternoon that there would be no meeting today between committees representing the strikers and the employers. It is said that the committees will be brought together again within a day or two.

PICKPOCKET'S TRIAL.

Frank Rodgers, alias Frank Crossman, the versatile pickpocket, who relieved St. Jacobs of a five dollar bank on the ferry steamer Berkeley, has been charged with grand larceny. His examination has been set for September 3 in the Police Court.

Specials For This Week

- Your choice of Flour, per sack 85c
- 3 Cans Shrimps, 25c
- Grape Nuts—2 packages, 25c
- Can of Best Oil, 70c
- 8 Bars Soap, 25c
- 1 Bottle Salad Oil, 15c

WALSH & CO., Junction Cash Grocery 17th and Peralta Phone Red 15

SUPT. LEACH IS AGAIN ON STAND

Gives Testimony Against the Ex-Chief Clerk of the Mint.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—The trial of ex-Chief Clerk Dimmick was resumed before Judge Heacock this afternoon. Superintendent Leach was again on the stand for cross-examination. When the examination was concluded Tuesday the last question was about three vouchers amounting to \$1,338 which had been held over for several months.

He identified several envelopes by their filing numbers. He was asked if one of the envelopes contained exhibit A, which relates to the vouchers of \$375, on which Dimmick collected without justification.

He answered that he did.

The cause for the holding over of the matter as given by Dimmick was that he could not explain to Cashier Cole what warrants he meant.

Mr. Leach stated that he had several papers with him which were called in question of "old material exchanged for new material."

He said the contents related to the transaction of sending old material to Selby and getting other material and precious metals from Selby.

"Would this envelope indicate," asked Collins, "that this was a cash transaction?"

"That is simply a matter of interpretation. To me it indicates that it was not a cash transaction," said Leach.

"Who placed those documents in the envelope?" Mr. Cole?

"No, sir; Mr. Cole had nothing to do with the placing of the exhibit in that envelope. That was placed there by Mr. Dimmick or by the clerk under Mr. Dimmick's instructions."

Another envelope was similarly identified. Witness was asked to describe the envelope in exhibit No. 1, and did so in detail. A typewritten document was produced.

Mr. Leach said that it was an accurate account of the transaction with Selby.

Attorney Collins favored introducing the document without reading.

"I'd like to have it read," said Mr. Leach. "If the newspapers want to publish it, let them do so."

"We are supposed to be trying the case according to the law and the facts," said Collins.

"I don't know about that," said Leach.

"We are doing it, anyway," said Collins, with emphasis on the first word.

The document was then read by Collins, showing that Leach had sent to Selby's 12,000 pounds of old lead to be worked over for precious metals, and the residuum of the lead was to be used again in the mint. The result of the working over of the lead was one and 51-100 of an ounce of gold and 118 ounces of silver, the total value of the entire transaction being \$411.59.

A number of other papers bearing upon this point were then introduced.

Mr. Leach was asked if any money had passed between Selby and the Mint in this transaction, and replied that no money had passed at all.

Mr. Leach then stated, in response to a question, that he had told all that he thought he knew about the deal.

"Besides the three items of the vouchers and that of exhibit A, is there any other item affecting the defendant and used as a basis of any alleged irregularity on the part of the accused?" asked Collins.

Mr. Leach said: "Yes, but I'll have to take the time to answer further. On December 20, 1899, the defendant collected from Selby \$382.47, which he should have deposited on the last day of the quarter, but he did not enter it till January 3."

The case is still on trial.

POLICE COURT.

Police Court, Aug. 29.—Jerry Morgan, G. E. Taylor, drunk, \$5 or three days; Jas. Douglas, drunk, judgment suspended; John Brady, drunk, bail forfeited; C. A. Baldwin, Francis Roberts, C. H. Bettles, violating bicycle ordinance, \$2 or one day; George Dohi, Henry Jackson, L. S. Frazer, violating bicycle ordinance, judgment suspended; Tony Dietz, M. Koniall, violating bicycle ordinance, bail forfeited; Margaret Griffin, drunk, \$15 or seven and one-half days, and disturbing the peace, continued to September 5 to file complaint; Frank Rodgers, grand larceny, continued to September 2 to file complaint; Fred H. Scott, assault to murder, continued to August 30 for examination; Robert Kuezel, gambling, on trial; Robert Walsh, violating bicycle ordinance, bail forfeited; Jas. Feeley, disturbing the peace and battery, continued to September 16 for trial; Walter Meese, violating sign ordinance, discharged.

GO TO COURT TO SETTLE AN INSURANCE DISPUTE.

The suit of the Bank of Livorno against Simon and Helen Pescalina and M. A. York was argued today before Judge Ellsworth. The suit involves the ownership of \$300 to be paid by the Phoenix Insurance Company for the destruction of a barn by fire. The policy was taken out in the name of Mrs. Pescalina, but the property was transferred to York.

EVIDENCE GIVEN IN CASE IS CONTRADICTORY.

The action of E. E. Fowler to recover \$100 from J. A. Hackett on a contract has been continued to tomorrow for decision. Judge Greene intimated today, however, that the plaintiff was entitled to judgment as the terms of the contract could not well be evaded.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS WILL CLOSE NEXT MONDAY.

Superintendent McElmood issued an order today closing the Public Schools on Monday.

WILL GET FOUR DOLLARS A WEEK

Steel Strikers Will Get But Little From the Benefit Fund.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 29.—The report that the Amalgamated lodges were voting on a peace proposition was also denied by Mr. Shaffer, who said: "There has been no vote or any action taken by us. The lodges may have taken votes on their own account but none has been ordered since the strike started, and no vote has been taken by the executive board."

"The situation," continued Mr. Shaffer, "is unchanged."

Referring to the telegram from New York quoting officials of the United States Steel Corporation as reiterating their statements that the Amalgamated Association would not be recognized until the latter was incorporated, Mr. Shaffer said:

"The Amalgamated Association is not incorporated. It is true. I know no reason for this save that there is no law providing for such incorporation. Other labor organizations are also not incorporated, presumably for the same reason. The only labor organization that I know to be incorporated is that of the Knights of Labor. This body, I believe, was incorporated under a special act of Congress. Personally, I can see no objection to the incorporation of the Amalgamated Association, but such a step could be authorized only by the annual convention of the organization. The officials of the Association have no power in the matter."

A New Philadelphia, O. dispatch reports that Attorney Bower and Buchanan, for the American Sheet Steel Company, have secured an injunction through the United States Court against the Amalgamated Association at Canal Dover for intimidating and keeping workmen from entering the rolling mill; also in holding and stopping pedestrians upon the highway.

After next Monday the Amalgamated Association will begin the disbursement of strike benefits to such as are still out of employment. The rate is \$4 a week.

Secretary Williams received a check from the Flint Glass Workers today for \$2,000, besides several other large donations.

WERE NOT LOST IN THE TRENTON WRECK.

TRENTON, Aug. 29.—Mrs. Josephine Torrey and her son Earl of this city, who were reported missing, have been located. They were on the deck of the City of Trenton when the explosion occurred. They climbed down the side of the boat into a rowboat and were taken to Tacony, Pa., whence they came to Trenton.

PACKAGE OF MONEY HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED.

OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 29.—The package of money found yesterday by boys has been partially identified. A letter carrier picked up a band which had been used to hold money. It was marked \$300 and contained other marks by which the bank officials think they can identify it as the band covering the package of money stolen from George Archibald, the Pacific Express Company's driver.

WILL REORGANIZE THE GRAND CANYON RAILROAD.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 29.—A telegram was received at Santa Fe headquarters today from Chicago, announcing the issuance of a circular concerning the reorganization of the Santa Fe and Grand Canyon Railroad, which extends from Williams, A. T., to the rim of the Grand Canyon of the Colorado.

The road recently became financially embarrassed and a few days ago was sold at flagstaff for \$150,000. A committee composed of E. D. Kenna, vice-president of the Santa Fe system, and Byron L. Smith and James H. Eckels of Chicago, acting for the bondholders, bid the road in. It is now to be reorganized as the Grand Canyon railway and will be operated as a branch of the Santa Fe. All but six miles of the road has been completed and it is intended to have trains running through to the canyon by September 15th.

LEFT PROPERTY TO HIS SIX CHILDREN.

The will of Frederick Wille, who died August 19, has been presented for probate by the son, Frederick Wille Jr., who is named executor. The estate, consisting of \$4,000 in bank, is left equally to the six children, who are as follows: J. H. Frederick, Emil, Mary, Leopold and Robert Wille. The will is dated August 2, 1901, and is witnessed by E. W. Stromberg and Ed Kessler.

SAFE CRACKERS BLEW OPEN A STRONG BOX.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—Safe-crackers blew open the safe of Muller & Becker, butchers, at an early hour this morning, securing \$55 in coin and a lot of jewelry and silverware. There is no clue to the robbers.

J. O. HAYES HAS TENDERED RESIGNATION.

SAN JOSE, Aug. 29.—J. O. Hayes, has tendered his resignation as a director of the California Cured Fruit Association. There are rumors of other resignations. A meeting has been called for next Saturday.

DEFENDANT IN COURT.

The examination of Fred H. Scott, the colored porter charged with assault to murder on the person of Harry Wilson, the colored barber, was set for August 30. Hugh Akleish is the attorney for the defendant.

POLE ON FIRE.

This morning a large pole of the Bay Counties System on Twenty-third avenue near the Cotton Mills took fire. Several wires were cut down.

FUNERAL OF LATE MRS. E. B. JEROME

Many Oakland Friends Send Floral Tributes to the Home.

The funeral of Mrs. Clara E. Jerome, wife of Deputy Collector of the Port E. B. Jerome, was held from the family residence at 10:30 o'clock this morning.

Rev. B. Fay Mills, pastor of the Unitarian Church, of which Mrs. Jerome was a popular member, officiated at the services, which were brief and simple, in accordance with the expressed wish of Mrs. Jerome. The pall-bearers were Fred E. Whitney, Frank Trus, Frank Cushing and John P. Irish.

The following sent floral tributes: Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Baxter, Mrs. P. N. Remillard, Mrs. William Letts Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Leavitt, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick S. Stratton, Mrs. Joseph Ghirardelli, Pablos Hospital Association, Oakland Lodge of Elks No. 17, the Ebel Club, Mrs. Clayton P. Richards, Sampol J. Marston, Mr. and Mrs. B. Thomas, San Francisco Custom Brokers, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Mann, Clerks of the Custom House, Captain and Mrs. M. A. Healy, Dr. L. L. Dorr, Mrs. Henry Wadsworth, Mrs. M. J. Webber, Miss Thomas, Mrs. J. L. Cris-tenden, Mrs. E. Sanborn, Mrs. J. C. Tucker, Miss Babson, Mrs. C. L. Goddard, Mrs. William Henry Friend, F. English, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Ames, Dr. C. E. Lancaster, N. M. Gassaway and others.

After the simple services at the home, the remains, accompanied by the immediate members of the family, were taken to the Odd Fellows' Crematory in San Francisco for cremation.

TRADES COUNCIL GOES ON RECORD

Are Not Satisfied With the Attitude of the San Teamsters.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—The Building Trades Council has placed itself upon record as opposed to the strike of the San teamsters. At a meeting of the union last night a communication was read from the Council stating that that body was dissatisfied with the attitude of the San teamsters in the present labor troubles.

The Council gave notice that if the Union continues to refuse to haul material required by builders the council will take steps to form a union of teamsters that will be under the jurisdiction of the Building Trades Council exclusively.

There was a conference in which J. H. McCarthy, Louis Chester, J. P. Harper, Walter Goff and others took part.

The matter was referred by the teamsters to the labor council and will be discussed by that body at its regular meeting tomorrow night.

ONE VOTE SAVED HIM FROM BEING CONVICTED.

By one vote in twelve, Thomas Boylen has escaped becoming a convict and serving a term in State Prison. The jury in his case disagreed last evening after having deliberated about four and one-half hours. He was charged with burglary for having entered the room of his friend, Ernest Chaboya, and putting on one of the latter's suits of clothes.

LEFT HUSBAND AND REFUSED TO RETURN.

Judge Hall has granted Filadelfus Avery of Berkeley a divorce from Eliza C. Avery on the ground of desertion. The couple were married in San Jose in 1884. More than a year ago Mrs. Avery left her husband and has since refused to return to him. There are no children.

WANTS YOUNG GIRL SENT TO REFORM SCHOOL.

Mrs. Eliza Swift of the Associated Charities has filed a petition to have Louise Canty, the 17-year-old daughter of Mary Canty, sent to the Whittier Reformatory. It is alleged that the girl is incorrigible and beyond the control of her mother.

CITY ATTORNEY WILL DRAFT NEW ORDINANCE.

City Attorney Johnson will draft a new sign tax ordinance and present it to the City Council at its next meeting. The new ordinance will leave out the section knocked out by Judge Smith.

PLEADS GUILTY TO A CHARGE OF LARCENY.

Joseph Newgard, charged with stealing a horse, saddle and shotgun from S. F. Morrill of Piedmont, entered a plea of guilty this morning before Judge Greene. He will be sentenced next Wednesday.

A SMALL FIRE.

The fire department was called out to extinguish a fire in a telephone box at the corner of Twelfth and Brush streets this morning. The wires had become crossed in some manner and a blaze started. Aside from the damage to the box, no injury was worked by the fire.

SLOT MACHINE CASE.

Little progress has been made in the trial of Robert Kuezel, charged with gambling. Only four jurors had been secured yesterday and today up to 3 o'clock this afternoon. The defendant is represented by Attorneys Church and Frick.

DEATH OF MRS. MARTINEZ.

Mrs. Annie Martinez, aged 23, died at 671 East Seventeenth street early this morning. She was a native of the Azores. Her funeral arrangements have not been announced yet.

BREAKERS SAID TO BE AHEAD.

Millmen Expect Trouble on the First of September.

It is stated this afternoon that the millmen of Oakland are expecting some trouble on September 1st.

Under the agreement with the Building Trades Council all the mills in Alameda county have agreed to unionize their places and employ none but union men.

There are a number of skilled men in the mills who do not now belong to the union and they say they will not join the organization.

It remains to be seen whether the proprietors will discharge these men. At all events trouble is anticipated.

RENDERS A DECISION ON THE DUPLICATE TAX.

Comptroller of Treasury Tells About the Dividends From Banks.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—The Comptroller of the Treasury has rendered a decision regarding the question of a duplicate tax on bank dividends. In this case a certain bank owned stock in and received dividends from several other banks.

These banks had paid the tax on the dividends declared by them and the question involved was whether the original bank should be required to pay a tax on that part of its income which it received in dividends from the other banks.

The Comptroller holds that it was not the intention of Congress to assess a duplicate tax upon the same identical income or profits.

BLOCADÉ IS NOW BROKEN.

The statement has been made that Luther A. Thrasher, the gauger who committed suicide in San Francisco, had prior to his death been dealing with T. W. Sigourney, vice-president and manager of W. M. Watson Company, Inc. This statement is not true.

Mr. Sigourney did not even speak to Thrasher when the latter was in the store on government business. Let alone drink with him. When Thrasher was in the store he was sober and did not take a drink.

HAS HIS WIFE ARRESTED AND SENTENCED TO PRISON.

Mrs. Margaret Griffin, residing on Kirkham street, near Twelfth street, was arrested at the instance of her husband, J. P. Griffin, on a charge of disturbing the peace. It is stated Mrs. Griffin had been drinking too much at home and started to raise a ruckus. Her husband sought the aid of the police to restore order with the result that his wife was convicted of being drunk in the Police Court this morning and sentenced to fifteen days in jail.

When she has completed this sentence she will be tried on a charge of disturbing the peace.

FRAUD ALLEGED IN A REALTY TRANSACTION.

The suit of M. F. Cochrane as assignee of the creditors of Colonel A. P. Finnegan, to set aside conveyances of realty to the daughters of the Colonel, was on trial this afternoon before Judge Greene. It is alleged that Colonel Finnegan transferred the property to his daughters to defraud his creditors.

HOSPITAL SHIP SOLACE ARRIVES FROM MANILA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—The Naval Hospital Ship Solace arrived today from Manila, via Guam and Honolulu.

The vessel brought a number of passengers, among them the wives and children of naval officers. The Solace is to be laid up for repairs at Mare Island. She has been in service for several years and has made a number of trips between here and the Philippines.

DOES NOT WANT TO SUPPORT HIS CHILD.

Theodore Lange has filed notice that he will appeal from the judgment ordering him to pay \$12 a month to his divorced wife, Elizabeth Lange, for the support of their minor child.

PASTOR DIES SUDDENLY.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—Rev. J. M. Buehler, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, died suddenly last night of apoplexy. Rev. Mr. Buehler was at the time of his death, president of the Lutheran synod of the Pacific Coast. He was a native of Baltimore, aged 64 years.

AFTER THE CHINESE.

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 29.—United States Marshal J. H. Shine, accompanied by a deputy and Interpreter Gardiner, arrived in this city last night for the purpose of arresting and taking to San Francisco for deportation such Chinese as were in the city without the necessary papers showing their right to remain here.

SUED FOR A DIVORCE.

Mary Davis has sued David Davis for a divorce on the ground of desertion. They have been married twenty years.

DEATH OF FRED DUFFEY.

Frederick Duffey, an old pioneer of this county, died today. He leaves three children, Andrew and John Duffey and Mrs. George Miller.

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4 dozen 7 lb. gray and brown blankets — 72 x 84 inches — regularly \$7.50—special price this week \$6.00  
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WESTERN MAN WILL BE SELECTED FROM NOME.

R. W. Jones May Be in Charge of the Seventh National.

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—The Commercial Advertiser says:

It was reported today that a Western man had been selected for the vice-presidency of the Seventh National Bank on the reorganization of the institution.

The man, whose name was not mentioned, was said to have become a director in the Seventh National shortly before its suspension on June 27.

From this description it was believed he was R. W. Jones, president of the Bank of Kansas City, Mo.

GEO. GROSS WILL NOT GET INCREASE

The ordinance passed by the City Council increasing the salary of Deputy City Treasurer George Gross from \$100 to \$125 a month was vetoed by Mayor Barstow this afternoon.

The Mayor's reasons for the veto are that he does not want to increase the expenses of the city during the present financial crisis and that the same work has heretofore been well done for \$100 a month.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—According to the statements made by leading grain merchants today, the blockade of wheat ships has been effectually broken. An additional force of twenty-five men-uniform grain handlers was shipped to Port Costa today and it is said that other men will follow tomorrow. Additions to the force at work loading the ships of the grain fleet have been frequent the past few days.

TRUSTEE AUCTION SALE.

Of aged ware and groceries. On Friday, August 30, 1901, at 10:30 A. M., at sales-rooms of M. Marcuse, Nos. 914 and 918 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

By order of A. Nathan, Trustee of the estate of L. Clayton, I shall sell at public auction the lot of goods found and stored by said Clayton and comprising:

A large assortment of gray agate ware, tea and coffee pots, pots, kettles, pie plates, spittoons, milk boilers, stew pans, measures, etc., etc. Also, at same time and place, some first class clean groceries and canned goods.

Terms cash. Sale absolute. M. MARCUSE, Auctioneer.

MRS. BELMONT'S PATENT MEDICINE QUADRILLE IS OFF.

Mrs. Ollie Belmont has abandoned the idea of a patent medicine quadrille. The invitations have been withdrawn and all the arrangements in connection therewith canceled. It is all the fault of the proprietors, inventors and agents of the various patent medicines, and nostrums now in the market, who saw in her advertisement a unique opportunity for advertisement.

They overcame not only Mrs. Belmont but also her friends with letters, telegrams and even personal calls, offering her only to design the costumes that might be worn to represent their particular remedy, but even to defray all the expenses, some even going to the length of offering bribes if their proposals were accepted.

Every mail came laden with suggestions from manufacturers and advertisers, agents and medicines, both of established reputation and likewise of more questionable character, until finally Mrs. Belmont after consultations with her friends decided to abandon the whole affair. She will give instead a dinner party on Friday night, and will take her guests on afterward to Mrs. Fish's vaudeville at the "Crossways."—New York Journal.

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## A BIG STRIKE IS THREATENED.

Effect of Demand to Handle Car goes Discharged by Union Men.

If the strike in San Francisco is not declared off before Tuesday next, there will be a walkout in this city of all the longshoremen and stevedores in the several lumber and coal yards where such men are employed. If the places of these men are supplied with non-union men, then there will, in all probability be a boycott of the material of the yards in question, in which all the trades unions allied to the Building Trades Council will take part. If, however, the San Francisco strike shall be settled by that time, the disastrous effects of such a paralyzation of labor may be avoided.

Two things are in progress at the city wharf today, which will tend to precipitate this strike in this city. One of these is the unloading of a gang of "scabs," with an intermixture of college students, of the steam schooner Coronado, Captain Johnson of Gray's Harbor, of 420,000 feet of lumber at Derby's wharf.

The other is the unloading of the scow schooner Winfield Scott of coal, taken from the collier Thania in San Francisco, the transfer of which was made by "scab" stevedores. This coal is being thrown into the bunkers of C. R. Allen, near the foot of Broadway.

When all the Derby consignment from the Coronado is placed on the wharf, there it must lie in its rough piles until it is moved away to the regular yard piles by union longshoremen, or "scabs." The removal of the embargo upon the handling of "scab" unloaded cargoes, which was ordered by the teamsters' and stevedores' unions for ten days, specially excepted any material which might enter port between the time of the removal of the interdiction and the 2d of next month.

In violation of this condition, the Coronado and the Winfield Scott are now being unloaded. Union longshoremen, stevedores and teamsters may not, therefore, handle these outputs. If ordered to handle them, they will walk out. If their places are filled with "scabs," the offending yards will be declared unfair and this declaration will be brought to the attention of allied unions and a general paralyzation of building operations must take place.

Only a few days need elapse before this consummation may be reached, and, for that reason regret is entertained that this city may witness some of the hardships which have been experienced by San Francisco for the past seven weeks.

The Coronado has a gang of non-unionists of about twenty men, all of whom are novices in the work of discharging a lumber cargo. Among these are three students, R. and C. Baker, sons of G. W. Baker, and William Robbins. When the 400,000 feet of lumber shall have been discharged, there will be no more dock space in Derby's yard.

The Winfield Scott has about 160 tons of coal aboard and only a day or so will be required to transfer that to the bunkers. But no union man may handle any of it without incurring the penalty prescribed by his labor organization.

At the Stone wharf, the schooner Monterey is still being unloaded by union men.

The Mandalay has discharged her cargo of lumber and is now awaiting to place on the steamer Mt. Eden butter and eggs, which are to be taken to San Francisco.

The four-masted schooner Muriel is lying loaded at the Puget Sound Company's wharf.

### DEATH RECORD.

Stephen H. Morse, aged 70, died August 27th, on Twenty-sixth avenue near East Twenty-seventh street of apoplexy. The deceased had resided in Oakland for the last eleven years. The remains will be sent to Windsor, Vermont, for interment. John W. Obery was the attending physician.

### CLAIMS HE WAS BEATEN AND ROBBED BY A MOB.

James Kelly, a colored man residing in Oakland and working on the Southern Pacific Railroad, was treated at the Harbor Hospital, San Francisco, yesterday morning for a contused and lacerated face. He says that just after he got off the Oakland boat yesterday morning he was set upon and beaten by a crowd which took him for a non-union man. He says the men then robbed him and left him lying in the street.

### ONE LOOK WAS ENOUGH.

There are bad bargains that we remember, sometimes with regret and often a little bitter amusement, says Mrs. E. D. Gillespie in her book on "Remembrance."

"My father had taken some land in Illinois for a bad debt, and this he had never visited. After he had paid taxes for several years he was asked to sell the tract. He agreed to do it, and named the price, which was the sum he had paid for it, without the taxes.

"The deeds were scarcely signed when my father found that a city, Peoria, was growing up on the spot. He was naturally disappointed at what seemed the ill luck of the occurrence, but a few years after an annoyance was thinned with amusement. A man came into his office and asked:

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## WILL FIGHT FOR THEIR FEES.

Court Reporters Will Take Their Case to the Supreme Court.

The new law passed by the Last Legislature fixing the compensation of the court reporters throughout the State will be tested in an appeal to be filed either today or tomorrow by Court Stenographer J. H. W. Riley. His bond was prepared yesterday and the papers in the case are now ready to be filed by his attorneys, Reed & Nusbauer.

The decision in the appeal will have a far-reaching effect. The Supreme Court will determine whether court reporters throughout the State are to be paid fixed salaries, or are to receive fees as heretofore.

The law fixing the salaries of reporters has been upheld in all of the counties of the State, excepting Alameda and San Bernardino. In these two counties the Superior Judges in banc decided that the law was invalid and the former fee system was again adopted.

BOY THIEVES IN A "JESSE JAMES CLUB."

Belfast, Me.—Summer cottagers and other residents have recently been annoyed by thefts, and gardens, orchards and flower beds have been pillaged. Occasionally a boy has been arrested and punished. Some of them told of a gang with which they were connected, but refused to give any names or further particulars.

Suspicion was directed to a boys' camp situated just outside of the city. An investigation showed it was the headquarters of the "Jesse James Club."

The plan of the organization is its novel feature. At stated intervals the members meet and compare notes, and he who has stolen the most since the last meeting, with this title "Jesse James."

Since the discovery of the plan of the club its operations have been suspended, and it will probably not resume business, at least at the old stand.—New York Journal.

QUESTS.

When the sunshine filled the sky,  
And the days were long,  
Then we went, my heart and I,  
Hunting, with a song,  
For a Sigh.

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1000 Lion	10
1000 Lone Star	10
1000 Monarch	10
1000 Sunset (original)	10
200 Superior	16
500 Three States	15
500 Yukon	25
1000 Pancoast	15
1000 New Century	15
1000 Red Bank	15
1000 Transfer	15
2000 California Crude	15
3500 Diamond	15
500 Contra Costa	15
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Growth of Oakland and Suburbs.  
Residents of 1890 1900  
Oakland 48,682 66,950  
Alameda 11,165 16,464  
Berkeley 5,101 13,214  
Fruitvale, etc. 3,108 8,168  
Emeryville 228 1,016  
69,284 105,822

Population of Alameda County.  
In 1890 138,864  
In 1900 130,197

AMUSEMENTS.  
Dewey—Sapho.  
Columbia—"Wheels Within Wheels."  
Alcazar—"Romance and Juliet."  
Tivoli—"The Two Orphans."  
Central—"The Two Orphans."  
Grand Opera House—"Lord and Lady Alby."  
California—"Rosemary."  
Orpheum—"Specialties."

State Fair and Exposition, Sacramento—Sept. 2 to 14.

Picnics at Shell Mound Park.

Sept. 1—San Francisco Schutzverein Verein.  
Sept. 2—Federal Trades of California to H. P. M.  
Sept. 3—Nord Deutscher Verein, to H. P. M.  
Sept. 4—St. Rose's Parish.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 29, 1901.

THE LATEST CHINESE RING.

Arizona's contribution to the record of scandals that has attended the operations of the Chinese exclusion act promises to be a heavy one, for with the death of Immigration Commissioner Jossey the seal of secrecy attached to the combination he headed has been seemingly broken. The disclosures now coming to the surface show that the illicit traffic has been conducted for many years, and as from \$50 to \$200 apiece was paid for Chinese smuggled over the border, those engaged in the business must have amassed a considerable fortune.

Those acquainted with the conditions governing our frontier line have always been aware of the impossibility of properly enforcing any legislation such as the Exclusion Act, especially in view of the corruption that always exists to some extent among the smaller officials. While collectors, heads of bureaus and commissioners are men whose integrity and capacity have been thoroughly tested before they secure their appointments, in the cases of petty officials, such as minor inspectors, the same safeguards are not secured. When, then, the guarding of a large stretch of frontier is under the immediate control of deputies, it is not surprising that, as they are only paid about \$100 a month, we frequently hear of cases of corruption similar to the one at Nogales. These engaged in the Chinese traffic are good students of men and know how to place their money, so when bribes amounting into the thousands are available, it is easy enough to get Chinese into the country in defiance of the restrictive statutes. The frontiers of Mexico, Lower California and Canada have in turn been under the ban, and even when the voice of scandal is silent and everything apparently straight, there is no doubt that a more or less steady stream of illicit immigration pours on.

Unfortunately, too, there is apparently no way of meeting and combating the evil. We can guard our ports safely enough, but with Chinese landing in all the countries around us it is not possible to prevent them, or at least some of them, from quietly crossing our border line. All that is left, therefore, is to exert all possible vigilance in stamping out corruption among our own people, and if, as in the case of this Arizona affair, the operations of the ring leaders can be directly traced, then everyone connected therewith should be given the severest punishment the law permits as a warning to others who may be figuring upon straying in like paths.

The British government has ordered the name of Earl Russell stricken from the list of magistrates. Wonder if it is thought that by any hocus-pocus he could call up his own case and order himself liberated from jail. The ways of the English common law are so strewn with technicalities that the proposition is not as ridiculous as seems at first glance.

The striking glassworkers have won their fight and an increased scale of wages has been arranged for the future. As so many of these labor contests go the other way, the glassmen will indeed be entitled to do lots of blowing from now on.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC ENTERPRISE.

From New York has come a corroboration of the reports given out recently to the effect that vast improvements have been planned for the Southern Pacific railroad. Its new owners are declared to have determined to divert all its surplus earnings for several years to come into building up the property, and in earnest of this the sum of \$10,000,000, being the balance on hand from the last fiscal year, is to be at once expended in the manner proposed.

As far as the knowledge of the average layman goes, the Southern Pacific is already in splendid condition, for those who have had an opportunity to compare it with the other big lines of the country have always regarded it as fully up to the average. If, therefore, \$10,000,000 or so is now to be spent upon it there can be no question that it will take a place among the finest railroads in the world, and certainly none of them will be more up to date if the plans as outlined are carried out. Heavier rails, a tunnel through the Sierras, reduced grades, cut-offs, double tracks and increased equipment are among the improvements contemplated, as is also a proposition of vast importance to California industry—the changing of fuel-burners from coal to oil. The new fact that the Southern Pacific will derive its motive power from our petroleum is in itself sufficient to lift the oil business out of the slough of despond into which it has fallen, but that is by no means all the good we will derive in that regard, for the knowledge that the Southern Pacific is so satisfied as to the permanency of the oil supply here that it is going to spend large sums converting its engines into petroleum burners will give assurance to those who have been contemplating establishing manufacturing here, but who have hesitated lest the oil business should play out and leave them confronted more aggravatingly than ever by the old fuel problem.

Apart from the personal benefits and comforts we will receive from the improvement of the Southern Pacific system, the news as to the new policy that has been inaugurated is welcome in other ways. It means that the fortunes of the road have been determined for awhile at least and that the present owners are satisfied with it as an investment and are not regarding it as a bargain and sale proposition still on the market. If they were, it is certain that they would be endeavoring to get all possible out of it in the form of earnings, so the turning back into the system of every cent of profit marks a new and important epoch in the history of the road. No matter what may be said for or against the Southern Pacific, it is an undeniable fact that its interests are closely interwoven with those of the State, and that its improvement and its progress mean advancement for the entire community. It is a matter for congratulation, therefore, that the railroad has passed into the hands of a syndicate so enterprising and so alive to the necessities of the West as the Harriman combination is showing itself to be.

France is getting ready for her set-to with Turkey, and the European concert that we hear so much of at times like this is tuning up again. The "Gobble-Gobble" song from the well-known comic opera should be an appropriate selection just now.

The English war office has been requested to send more troops to China. It is certainly an ideal place for soldiering, judging by the little that has been accomplished by the allied forces of late.

Tennis is fast springing into popularity again. After all, the summer girls find that there is no better way of landing the marriageable young men than by spreading nets for them.

BOUGHT PROPERTY AND OBJECTS TO A SUIT.

The Homestead Loan Association of Berkeley has filed a demurrer to the cross-complaint of Joseph Horn. The latter claims that he paid \$240 for personal property in a tannery in West Berkeley. The association is suing Horn for about \$2500 for the sale of the tannery. Horn's cross-complaint is objected to on general grounds.

Why is Pears' Soap—the best in the world, the soap with no free alkali in it—sold for 15 cents a cake?

It was made for a hospital soap in the first place, made by request, the doctors wanted a soap that would wash as sharp as any and do no harm to the skin. That means a soap all soap, with no free alkali in it, nothing but soap; there is nothing mysterious in it. Cost depends on quantity; quantity comes of quality. Sold all over the world.

NATIVE SONS WILL SOON CELEBRATE.

Alameda County Will Be Well Represented at the San Jose Meeting.

As Admission Day draws near the Native Sons are feeling gratified at the growing interest being manifested in the San Jose celebration which begins Saturday, September 7th, and ends on the night of the 9th. A varied program, covering the three days of the celebration, is being arranged by the San Jose committees. The Garden City committees are working night and day, and promise that the guests will be well entertained during their three days' stay.

The Alameda county parlor will be largely represented at San Jose. Alameda Parlor has secured headquarters in the San Jose Hotel, on Second street. Piedmont Parlor will be located in I. E. S. Hall of Market street, this hall being one of the largest in the city. Athens and Brooklyn Parlors will be at the St. James Hotel, and Oakland Parlor at the Vendome.

THE EXCLUSION OF THE ASIATICS.

Reasons Why it May Not Prevail --Organized Labor Can Compel it.

Editor TRIBUNE—It goes without saying that the almost unanimous sentiment of the people of the Pacific Coast is in favor of the rigid exclusion of Asiatics from this country, whether Chinese, Japanese or Filipinos.

There may be a willingness on the part of all our people to except a class of Asiatic immigrants—well-to-do merchants and scholarly professional men—from this sweeping exclusion, but that class known as laborers come relentlessly under the ban. This is not without its exceptions, however. The largest employers of labor in California, who could make use of coolies or of artisans from the Orient in the prosecution of their industries, would be glad to have free ingress given such immigrants.

These employers believe that by this means organized labor in this country would be disrupted, and the wage scale be adjusted in accordance with the economic law of supply and demand. Such employers or capitalists profess to believe that this is in harmony with the spirit of justice which vitalized and called into birth this "free republic"—the world's "greatest and truest democracy."

On this subject no animadversion will be made. It is simply remarked that when these same capitalists co-operate with the masses to make all other commodities subject to the same law, and not artificially controlled and manipulated by a system of monopoly, then, there may be some reason for considering the question as to whether the commodity of labor—from which springs all other commodities—may be justly made and held subject to such economic law.

But this is somewhat of a digression. Coming back to the point of the argument, it may, with positiveness, be said that New England, the Middle States, and the South are not in favor of Asiatic exclusion.

The first two sections are not opposed to Chinese immigrants chiefly because they know nothing, by experience, of the undesirableness of their presence in large numbers. The last named section would be glad to have an influx to their part of the country because it is thought by the people of that section that the Asiatics would be preferable to the negroes, and that their incoming might tend to a solution of the "race problem," by practical extinction of the negro race, either through self-expatriation or by rapid dying out for want of proper subsistence.

Here, then, is a preponderance of sentiment from a business and economic point of view, against the attitude of religious sentiment of all sections, namely, that it will be cheaper and easier to Christianize the "heathens" in our own country than in theirs, and it is at once apparent that the re-enactment of the exclusion law is much in doubt.

There is still another point, and it is a very strong one; it appeals with force to the spirit of commercialism now so rampant and dominant in our land. "We want an 'open door' to the almost limitless markets of China," declare the "Trusts."

Well, suppose China exacts as a quid pro quo, "bars down" for the incoming to this favored land of any of her people who want to come here; with the alternative that "no social and political intercourse granted by the United States to China would cut off commercial interchange with China except upon strictly business and thoroughly drastic principles dictated by the law of self-preservation?"

The Cripple

Who is crippled by accident or deformity hardly understands the meaning of the word "crippled" as compared with the victim of rheumatism. He is not only bent and twisted, but also racked with pain so cruel that he envies the cripple who stumps along on a wooden leg, whistling as he goes. Rheumatism is known to-day as blood disease. It can only be cured through the blood.

That powerful blood-purifying medicine, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, cleanses the blood of the acid poisons which cause rheumatism. When the blood is cleansed the rheumatism is cured.

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Mr. R. J. McKnight, of Cades, Williamsburg, Colorado, writes: "I had been troubled with rheumatism for twelve years, so bad at times I could not leave my bed. I was badly crippled. Tried many doctors, and two of them gave me some of those pills I did me any good. The pains in my back, hips and legs (and at times in my head), would nearly kill me. My appetite was very bad. Everybody who saw me said I must die. I took five bottles of 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and four vials of 'Felix,' and today my health is good, after suffering twelve years with rheumatism."

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law, it is the opinion of the writer, that their unaided opposition to "letting down the bars" will be just about as effective as would be the waving of a shuck to stay a whirlwind.

It must be borne in mind that when that law was enacted at the gate of the Orient, and there had not evolved the billion-dollar steel trust, and Pierpont Morgan as the master combiner for "community of interests," startling the commercial world by the brilliancy of his financial exploits. These are new conditions prevailing now on the side of the problem, how are we to most effectively gain commercial supremacy in the Orient, favorable to a contrivance attitude to that taken in the so-called Geary exclusion law. These conditions and factors have of necessity to be reckoned with in the handling of the problem now and hence forward.

China's accomplished, and brilliant Minister at Washington, Mr. Wu Ting Fang, has, on every occasion afforded him, adroitly "passed it up" to Uncle Sam to say whether or not he would be chief beneficiary of China's enormous and rapidly growing foreign trade, by cultivating closer and more friendly political relations with China.

Of course the rulers of the Flowery Kingdom do not want their people to exodus in unlimited numbers to America. If such were at all likely to occur, then, China would "put up the bars" to keep her people at home.

What China does want, and expects to see manifested, is a friendly spirit on the part of this country toward the Chinese who may desire ingress to our ports. In the absence of this spirit, China would be quite apt to show her antagonism and resentment by having as little commercial intercourse with the United States as possible.

And suppose she did, would it be any more or any less than we, as a Nation, would do, were Germany, for instance, to interdict citizens of this country coming to Germany and settling down, (were there any desire on the part of our citizens so to do), and at the same time remaining citizens of the United States, or, in any event, not becoming subjects of the German Emperor? Is it conceivable that there would be maintained the entente cordiale commercially between the United States and Germany while such strained relations politically subsisted?

Now, the writer does not want to be understood as favoring our Government acting upon or in accord with the adroit and diplomatic hints of Mr. Wu Ting Fang; but the writer is merely indicating the kind of argument that will have to be met and answered by the protagonists of Chinese exclusion.

If the writer were asked to state what, in his judgment, would be the most potent influence that could be exerted to secure exclusion of Asiatics, he would answer, the unanimous voice of labor, organized and unorganized, in earnest protest against their admission. Let that voice come up in mighty and irresistible volume from the South, down from the North, and in from the East and from the West to the halls of Congress at Washington.

Not even aggregated capital represented by the Trusts, nor religious zeal represented by the pulpit and missionary societies would have the temerity to move counter to such protest, because those who were the protestants, having the ballot, would, in due time, prove that they were in the majority, by casting their ballots in unity.

Then, what would be the political fate of the Trusts and the missionary Zealots? This query answers itself. Wherefore, if China's hordes are to be kept from flooding our shores, "organized labor" must stand as the bulwark, staunch and impregnable against the threatened oncoming. And this, Labor's hosts are preparing to do.

JOHN AUBREY JONES, Oakland, Cal., August 29, 1901.

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Here's the wind-up of the Harvest Sale! The last call to the reapers, the last chance you'll have at this great bargain crop. It has been the greatest sale we've ever had in our history. You've received the best values ever given in this county and now, as a fitting climax, we quote you, for the last few days, greater bargains than ever. If you've bought before you know what these prices mean. If you haven't already attended the sale, by all means do so this week. Here's the home-stretch price list:

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**TEAMSTERS MAKE AN APPEAL FOR FUNDS.**

**Brotherhood is Circulating a Petition Among the Oakland Merchants.**

At a meeting of the Brotherhood of Teamsters last night it was decided to make an appeal to the public for financial assistance in behalf of the teamsters of this city who are out on a strike in sympathy with the striking teamsters of San Francisco. Today the petition is in circulation. It contains the following appeal:  
"The Merchants and General Public: We make this appeal to all in sympathy with the locked out teamsters of Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley.  
"W.M. GREER, Secretary.  
"Teamsters and Drivers' International Union."  
Beneath is a subscription promise with which is connected a blank for the donor's place of residence and the amount subscribed.

**JOHN A. BECKWITH IS APPOINTED RAILROAD AGENT.**

John A. Beckwith has been appointed the agent for the Denver and Rio Grande and the Rio Grande Western railroads for the city of Oakland and has opened an office at 1118 Broadway for both passenger and freight business. The big railroad systems of the country have found that Oakland is a very fertile field of operations and have been invading it very rapidly until this city now has a full agency for nearly every overland railroad in the country.

**H. A. POWELL HAS BEEN ILL FOR THREE WEEKS.**

H. A. Powell, the attorney, has been confined to his bed for three weeks by illness. He expects to be out in a few days so he can assist William R. Davis in preparing the final water front case brief as Judge Ogden wants to go away.

**MOTHER'S CONSENT TO CHILDREN'S MARRIAGE.**

Edgar S. Thomas, aged 19, and Lois Pearl Higgins, aged 17, both of Berkeley secured a license to marry yesterday afternoon, the consent of the mother of each having been previously obtained.

**SOCIALIST PARTY.**

Oakland branch Socialist party will be addressed by Jev. Theodore S. Fritz on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in Becker's Hall, 912 Washington street. Subject of the lecture, "The New Ideal."

**WILL SELL PROPERTY.**

Frederick and Anna C. Hammann have agreed to sell Richard Beasley property on Morton street, near Railroad avenue, Alameda, for \$5,000, of which \$400 is to be paid in cash and the balance in monthly installments of \$25.

**OAKLAND BOY SHOT.**

PETALUMA, Aug. 29.—Lee Starkey, an Oakland boy, was accidentally shot through the left hand yesterday while shooting rats.

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**AN OAKLAND BOY LOST IN THE WOODS.**

**Prentiss Hutchinson Has Disappeared and Friends Are Searching for Him.**

COVELO, Aug. 29.—A special messenger who arrived here last evening brought news of the sudden disappearance of Prentiss Hutchinson of Oakland last Sunday. Hutchinson left A. C. L. Tracy's place near Cummings on horseback to Creek. Not returning at night, the place became alarmed and went to look for him. They soon found his horse, but failed to discover any trace of the young man.  
Searching parties have organized and help is asked for from all nearby towns. At noon today T. J. Conley, a noted hunter, came in and reported having tracked the lost man down Rattlesnake creek for several miles and then up Elk creek for some distance. There all trace was lost. After procuring some provisions Conley left for the mountains again.

**CATHOLIC LADIES' AID ELECTS ITS DELEGATES**

The Catholic Ladies' Aid Society held a very interesting meeting on Monday evening. The principal feature of the meeting was election of delegates to the sixteenth annual general council which will be held in Santa Cruz on September 17th. Miss Mea Gannon and Mrs. Agnes Hanlon were elected delegates. Miss Anna Porter and Mrs. Sarah Colman were elected alternates.

**MORTGAGE ASSIGNED.**

The Union Savings Bank has assigned to A. Vekander a mortgage of \$1,600 executed by John Kerr in 1891 on property on Adeline street, near Forty-first.

**JUSTICE'S COURT JUDGMENT.**

The Heaton-Hobson Associated Law Offices has obtained judgment in the Justice's Court against Henry and Kate Meyer for \$25.35.

**HOMESTEAD ABANDONED.**

Nancy A. Adams has filed an abandonment of a homestead on lot 8, block 10, Herzog tract.

**BUILDING ACCEPTED.**

Bert Canady has filed notice of acceptance of a building on lot 4, block F, Peralta Homestead tract.

**MRS. EMMA WEBSTER IS SUDDENLY SUMMONED.**

Mrs. Emma Webster of 519 Twenty-first street, died suddenly yesterday. A slight coughing spell, followed by a hemorrhage from the lungs, preceded her death. During the last three years she had been afflicted with a spinal affection, which prevented her walking. Otherwise her health was good.  
George P. Webster, the well-known actor, was playing at the Alcazar Theatre last night when the death of his mother occurred, but he was not informed of the event until after the curtain had fallen.  
Her husband, Captain Daniel Webster, died in Alaska territory about fourteen months ago during his seafaring expedition.  
The funeral will be held Friday afternoon. The remains will be temporarily placed in a vault in Mountain View cemetery. After the arrival of her husband's body from Alaska, husband and wife will be interred in the Webster family plot.

**ASTORIA.**  
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Bears the Signature of  
*Dr. J. C. H. H. H.*

**FRATERNAL ORGANIZATIONS ARE MAKING PROGRESS.**

**ODD FELLOWS, WORKMEN, WOODMEN OF THE WORLD AND OTHER LODGES HOLD INTERESTING MEETINGS AND SECURE NEW MEMBERS.**

Oak Leaf Lodge, No. 35, A. O. U. W., had an excellent attendance at its meeting Monday evening. One candidate was initiated into the Junior Workman Degree and two new members were given the Workman Degree. Three applications for membership were received. Past Master Workman Cogan initiated the new members and Past Master Workman Hall delivered the lecture in the screen work.

Next Monday evening Brother T. O. Crawford will deliver the continuation of his lecture upon "Citizenship, Its Rights and Duties."  
Those who had written questions to answers are kindly requested to be on hand with the same.  
Brother C. C. Crowley who lately sustained a severe injury on the hand from a gunshot was present at the meeting looking as smiling as ever.

An invitation was received from Pacific Lodge to attend its meeting Thursday evening, August 29th, when the Oriental Degree will be conferred on those who have not attained the exalted honor.

**PACIFIC LODGE.**  
The regular weekly meeting of Pacific Lodge, No. 7, takes place this evening at A. O. U. W. Hall, 1189 Broadway.  
Dr. Howard W. French and his celebrated Oriental Degree team will confer the degree on a class of pilgrims at A. O. U. W. Hall, 1189 Broadway this evening. Members of any fraternal order are invited to be present. A pleasant time is anticipated.

The last report of the supreme recorder shows that on July 1st the total membership of the order was 42,424; amount paid from the beneficiary fund for June, \$79,278; total amount paid from that fund for the year 1900, \$8,855, 000. This is a splendid record and shows what is being done for the families of deceased members of the A. O. U. W.

**LADIES OF THE MACCABEES.**  
Oakland Hive, No. 14, L. O. M. T. M., is enjoying the result of persistent labor on the part of members, at each review by initiation and now applications for membership.  
One of the strongest features recommending this hive to the ladies of Oakland, is the time and effort expended in making the social side of the order, one of great enjoyment.

On the evening of the 16th inst., the ladies of this hive gave a reception to their lieutenant commander, Mrs. Lizzy Gibbs (nee Blanchard) on her return from her wedding trip which extended through the palms of Southern California.  
State Commander Aydelotte, on behalf of the hive, presented the bride with a handsome silver fruit dish and bread tray.

The program of the evening consisted of choice selections of reading, vocal and instrumental music, by Ladies Wells, Patterson, Wenban and Duch-ran, after which all repaired to the banquet room, where the ladies of the lodge, consisting of Ladies Aydelotte, Hall, Townsend, Nelson, Todd, had arranged a spread such as only those who have taste and skill in such matter could.

The decorations of the hall and tables, together with the brilliant gowns and happy faces, added to the enjoyment of the occasion.  
The Supreme Medical Examiner for this Coast, Ella J. Fifield, will visit the Hive tomorrow evening.

**KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.**

Dirigo lodge, No. 224, held their weekly meeting last Tuesday night in Castle hall. Three candidates were initiated in the mysterious rank of Page. Despite the fact that this is a new lodge, the members are rapidly perfecting themselves in the work. The initiation was carried out in the most effective manner.

Members are talking some of making visits to the sister lodges in Oakland.  
A committee was recently appointed on regalia and Dirigo lodge expects to have one of the handsomest and most up-to-date outfits.

A number of candidates will be given the esquire rank next Tuesday night. The lodge extends a cordial invitation to brother knights in this domain to be present.

**PIEDMONT LODGE.**

The rank of Page was conferred upon Strangers John J. Allen and Henry Berceovich by the officers of Piedmont Lodge, No. 172 last Monday night.  
A number of visitors was present among them being Deputy Grand Chancellor John Sloane; Past Grand Chancellors Isaac and Gans of No. 103; Chancellor Commander Threshaw, Vice Chancellor Berstein of No. 109; Brother Livingston of St. Louis, Missouri; Brother Fireman of West Oakland and several others.

The rank of esquire will be conferred next Monday night.  
Members and visitors are requested to attend.  
Another application for membership was received.

**REBEKAHS.**

Brooklyn Rebekah Lodge, No. 12, I. O. O. F., met in Odd Fellows' Hall, August 26th.  
It was decided to give an entertainment for the benefit of the Orphans' Home, September 16th.

An attraction committee has been appointed for each meeting to devise some means of entertaining visitors from other lodges. It is a pleasant feature and should be kept up. The last program was presented by May Hemo as chairman, after which watermelons were served in the banquet room.

Monday, September 2nd being drill night, it is hoped that all the staff members will be present.  
**ROSE LODGE.**  
Rose Rebekah lodge, No. 224, I. O. O. F., met in Odd Fellows' Hall Friday, August 23d. The new officers are (Charles Anderson, N. G., and Annie Hodge, V. G.).  
Mary Alger, as sitting past grand, the initiatory degree was conferred on one candidate.  
The district deputy president and marshal were present and the financial

secretary was installed, having returned from her outing. The evening was pleasantly passed and refreshments were served.  
**RALL POSTPONED.**  
The entertainment and dance to be given by Oakland Rebekah Lodge, No. 16, I. O. O. F., August 31st has been postponed till some future date on account of the charter being draped for 30 days in memory of esteemed Sister Annie P. Ingersoll who passed away last Thursday evening.  
At the last meeting of the lodge a pleasant session was held. There will be initiation in two weeks.

The committee on entertainment for next Saturday evening comprises Sister Stansberg, Keisler and Parr. The team is requested to be on hand next Saturday evening. Rebekahs will be welcome.  
**ABSIT INVIDIA.**  
A very enjoyable evening was spent at the entertainment and dance of Absit Invidia Rebekah Lodge, No. 11, I. O. O. F., at Elks Hall, Tuesday evening. The attendance was large and the entertainment proved a success both socially and financially.

The following program was presented: Opening selection by the orchestra; recitation, Miss Ida Bradley; mandolin and guitar duet, Mrs. Brink and Miss Rohrer; vocal solo, Mrs. Mollie Jones; recitation, Miss Hilling; vocal solo, Mr. Noonan.  
All these were rendered in a pleasing manner. Dancing was then indulged in until a late hour, when all retired to their several homes satisfied with the evening spent with Absit Invidia.  
The officers are kindly requested to meet for drill next Tuesday evening, to prepare for initiation on the following week.

**CITY DOWN TO BEDROCK IN ITS FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.**

**ITS INCOME IS OVER \$200,000 SHORT OF ESTIMATED EXPENSES; BUT COUNCILMAN SCHAFFER SAYS THE ESTIMATES MUST BE CUT TO REVENUE BASIS.**

The municipal government of Oakland is passing through the severest financial crisis in its history. This is not because the inhabitants of the city are not prosperous or because business conditions are bad. On the contrary Oakland is flourishing generally and business conditions are remarkably good, saving perhaps a slight temporary depression due to the strike. The outlook also for real property values and general business is excellent. Nevertheless, the city government is reduced to desperate financial straits.

A simple statement of figures tells the story eloquently of the struggle to keep the municipal wheels running. They relate to the budget for the present fiscal year:  
Department estimates of expenses, \$1,061,125.94  
Auditor's estimates of expenses, \$60,557.94  
Total estimated income, \$25,000  
Of the gross income \$25,000 comes from the State and county as the city's share of the Common School Fund. This money must be spent on the schools alone, and must therefore be charged as an offset to common school education. No dollar of it can even be diverted to the High or special schools. This, then, reduces the total income available for municipal maintenance, including the cost of maintaining the High and special, to \$60,557.94 approximately.

To complicate the situation the city has carried over from last year an indebtedness of \$25,000 for statutory salaries on which payment was deferred. Last year the city had a gross income including the School Fund, of \$22,000, yet it still some \$40,000 short of paying its expenses for the year, although the present Council instituted some rigid cutting of expenses for the months of April, May and June. The financial stress was aided over by the gas and water companies rebating about \$15,000 of their bills in favor of the High School fund and by carrying over into this year \$25,500 due on deferred statutory salaries.

A contracting income and an expanding city with increasing cost of maintenance is the root of the trouble. Nearly all the city's income is derived from a tax on property and licenses on saloons. Except laundries, pawnbrokers and dogs nothing else is subject to a license tax. No merchants or occupation tax is collected in Oakland, although it is the rule in other cities to collect such license taxes.

The Council has passed an ordinance levying a small license tax on signs, but this was knocked out to day. It will knock \$5,000 off the estimated amount of income.  
By the terms of the charter the property tax for maintenance is restricted to \$1 on the \$100 assessed valuation, while the assessment roll is made up by the County Assessor and not by any officer under the direction of the city. Thus the city finds itself tied up at both ends in the matter of revenue from direct taxation, while it has practically remitted all the indirect sources of income save the licenses collected from saloons.

Thus the municipality, having hobbled itself as a preliminary to entering a race, deliberately threw away the knife that it might have used to cut a way out of the difficulty.  
However, the difficulty before the Council in fixing the tax levy is to cut the expenses according to the amount of income.

**PRESIDENT SCHAFFER.**

Louis Schaffer, president of the Council, says it can be done, and Councilman Courtney, chairman of the Finance Committee, says the same thing.  
"It's got to be done," said Mr. Schaffer. "We have got just so much money to spend, and the expenses must be cut down to that figure if we have to use a broadaxe. I am not in favor of carrying any of this year's obligations into next. We have got a pile of that kind now that is giving us the gripes. If we only had our own debts to pay we would get along easy enough. I don't want to say good morning to the devil till I meet him, but I don't believe in dodging him when you know he is going to catch you some time when you are still less prepared to receive him."

**AUDITOR BREED.**

"This difficulty will be chronic so long as the present policy is maintained," said Auditor Breed. I see just two ways of extricating the city from the financial straits into which it is falling. One is to amend the charter so as to permit the municipal assessment to be made by the City Assessor. This would enable us to keep within the dollar limit and at the same time increase the city's revenue without increasing our State and county taxes. The second way is to levy a license tax on all classes of business, which I consider to be only a desperate remedy for a desperate disease. Business licenses are always objectionable and should not be levied if it can be avoided. If we could make our own assessment, I think the difficulty would be obviated. The present condition is intolerable and cannot continue."

**ALUMNI TO MEET.**

A meeting of the alumni of the Commercial High School will be held this evening to decide upon the question of admitting associate members to the society.

**TO QUIET TITLE.**

John J. Farrell has commenced suit against Margaret Farrell on quiet title in Grove.

**DIVORCE DEFAULT.**

A default has been entered against Geo. R. Moore on account of his failure to answer the suit of his wife, Emma Moore, for a divorce.

**SMALL ESTATE.**

The estate of Anna Williams, deceased, has been appraised at \$300.

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## ALUMNI HALL FOR UNIVERSITY.

Seven Thousand Dollars Has Already Been Raised for the Fund.

BERKELEY, Aug. 29.—Seven thousand dollars has been raised by the Committee of the Alumni Association of the University which has in charge the collecting of funds for the building of an Alumni Hall on the University campus. Most of the money was sent in response to circular letters which were sent out. It is planned that the building will cost at least \$100,000. While the exact plans have not been drawn, it is intended that the hall shall have an auditorium which will seat nearly 1,000 people. Provision will also be made for a restaurant, trophy room, committee room and a ladies' parlor.

## UNIVERSITY STUDENTS WILL STUDY BIBLE. Classes Have Been Arranged and the Students Will Lead in Lessons.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA August 29.—The Y. M. C. A. will commence its Bible study classes on Sunday, September 1st. The program which has been arranged for the year follows:

1. Bible study in the life of Christ. Sunday, 9:45 a. m. Sec. 1, C. W. Pettitt, '03, leader; Sec. 2, R. R. Service, '02; Sec. 3, J. M. Brewer, '02; Monday, 2 p. m., W. C. Kerr, '04; advanced section, Monday, 4 p. m., L. B. Rhodes, '02; Tuesday, Sec. 1, 11 a. m., T. J. Barker, '03; Sec. 2, 2 p. m., S. M. Wright, Wednesday, 10 a. m., James A. Sutherland, '04.

## U. C. BOYS WILL GO TO HONOLULU.

BERKELEY, Aug. 29.—Next Saturday Charles Elston, 37, Loye Miller, '98, and wife F. J. Armstrong, graduates of the University, will leave to accept important positions in Honolulu.

## HE IS THE GUEST OF PROF. FRANK SOULE.

BERKELEY, Aug. 29.—Dr. Robert Fischer, professor of the Agricultural High School at Vienna, who is on a tour of the world, is the guest of Professor Frank Soule. Dr. Fischer is at present engaged in studying the irrigation systems of California.

## WILL NOT PAY LARGE REWARD.

President Ralston of the Selby Company Settles With the Detectives.

The Selby Smelting Co. will not pay a reward of \$25,000 for the capture of Jack Winters and the recovery of the gold bullion valued at \$25,000. Each detective will be paid in proportion to the work done.

President Ralston says: "There has been a misunderstanding on the subject of the \$25,000 reward which was offered by the company. I don't see how it could have arisen, but it has. When we offered the large reward we already had Winters in custody and knew positively that he had been concerned in the robbery. We had, however, many reasons for thinking that he had not been alone in the work and we were confident that the gold had been carried away. We certainly were not offering \$25,000 for the arrest and conviction of a man whom we already had under arrest and whom we had every reason to think we could convict."

"We felt that this enormous reward would effectively head off the sale of our gold bars, inasmuch as it would attract the attention of the entire country to the fact that certain gold bars had been stolen.

"When we offered the \$25,000 reward we already had engaged most of the detectives who have figured in the case. They had made arrangements with us to be paid so much for their work, and this is the amount they will be paid. In fact we have already made a settlement in full with some of the men.

"Don't for one minute think I am decrying their work. On the contrary every man in the case showed marked ability and worked very hard, and every man will be paid in direct proportion to what he did. This, it seems to me, is perfectly fair.

"The matter of settling all the claims is progressing very slowly. We have to deal with the men with the utmost care and circumspection, for we find that they are suspicious in the main, and they seem to feel that some other man will be better paid than they. There is no reason in the world for this feeling."

## ONE DAY WAS ALL HE COULD STAND.

Brother of Judge Morris is Beaten by the Strikers.

ALAMEDA, Aug. 29.—Yesterday afternoon Clarence Morris, a brother of Judge Morris of this city, got entangled in the strikers' mob in San Francisco, after which he quit his position.

Mt. Eden Young Man Will Take a Bride.

J. Robinson and Miss Anna C. Garcia Announce Their Engagement.

MT. EDEN, Aug. 29.—The engagement of J. Robinson of this place and Miss Anna C. Garcia of Haywards has been announced. The wedding is to take place in the early part of September.

Mr. Robinson is one of Mt. Eden's most popular young men. He has taken the leading part in all social affairs given in the town for the past few years. He is also very prominent in the order of Woodmen of the World and has done much for the up-building of the organization in and around Mt. Eden. He is at present the clerk of the camp at this place.

## VISIT OF WOODMEN.

ELMHURST, Aug. 29.—The last regular meeting of Elm Camp, Woodmen of the World, was not held owing to the fact that a majority of the members were attending a large initiation at Oakland. Those who went to Oakland were: H. B. Artlett, E. C. Ballard, H. N. Ballard, Wm. Catterlin, Chas. Critchlow, H. E. Darnon, J. L. Hamilton, W. J. Keegan, W. F. Knox, Fred Klempner, G. H. Lucas, R. W. Myers, A. J. Muloon, E. R. Newton, M. Nulty, Thomas E. Sawyer, J. E. Smith, P. E. Schofield, A. L. Stuart, Frank Storey, E. M. Woods and L. Wolf.

## SECURES A POSITION.

ELMHURST, Aug. 29.—Joe Perry of this place has just accepted a position with the O. S. L. & H. R. Co. and has been assigned to the Twenty-third street division.

## AARON MALLICK IS ILL.

ELMHURST, Aug. 29.—Aaron Mallik is very ill with typhoid fever at the home of his parents.

## PIONEER MILLINER DIES AT HER HOME IN OAKLAND.

Mrs. Marie Louise Vincent died yesterday afternoon at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Julia Bouquet, 462 Ninth street, San Francisco. She had a long illness. She was a pioneer milliner of San Francisco. She had a wide circle of friends. She leaves a large estate. The deceased was 84 years of age. Death was due to dropsy. Mrs. Vincent was a native of Bordeaux, France.

## CORONER'S VERDICT.

Coroner Mohrmann held an inquest last evening on the remains of D. F. Pink, who died unattended by a physician at the Dunsmoor House on Tuesday last. The verdict was that the deceased came to his death by natural causes. General debility was given as the immediate cause of death.

## TO SELL PROPERTY.

The estate of William Mattingly, a minor, has been appraised at \$8,250. It consists of property on Forty-fourth street near Linden. His guardian, Josephine B. Jones, has filed a petition to sell the property.

## SIGN ORDINANCE IS DECLARED TO BE INVALID.

JUDGE SMITH SETS ASIDE THE FIRST SECTION OF THE LAW, BUT DOES NOT PASS ON THE SIDE WALK SIGNS.

Judge Smith has knocked out the sign ordinance. He declared in the Police Court this morning that the sign law was invalid and illegal on the ground that it is discriminating between residents and non-residents.

The Washington street merchant, who was arrested August 17 by License Inspector Newell for refusing to pay the sign tax of \$5, was discharged and his bondsman released by order of the court.

Judge Smith concluded that the points raised in the defendant's demurrer were well taken and were legal sufficient grounds for granting the prayer of the defendant that the suit be dismissed.

In giving his decision Judge Smith said in part: "There is no question in my mind but that this ordinance discriminates against business men in this city who erect signs and non-residents who erect business or advertising signs in the city of Oakland. It is agreed by counsel on both sides that where an ordinance discriminates in this manner it is void. It has been held by the Supreme Court

## THEIR MARRIAGE WAS KEPT SECRET

An Alameda Couple Could Not Get Consent of Parents.

ALAMEDA, Aug. 29.—Last Sunday Miss Lillie Seelye of this city and Elmo Harvey, formerly of this place but now residing in San Francisco, were married at the residence of Rev. Father McMahon in San Francisco.

The young couple had long wished to be united in marriage but owing to the objections of the young lady's parents the ceremony did not take place until the young people took the matter into their own hands and despite the objections of Miss Seelye's parents, they were married. The fact of the marriage did not become public until today.

The bride was attended by Miss Mammie Higgins, of High street, while Frank Harvey, a brother of the groom, acted as best man. Mr. Harvey has a position in San Francisco as special policeman during the strike.

The young couple will reside in that city.

## SAN LEANDRO BRIDGE IS NEARING COMPLETION.

Framework is Being Removed and Bridge Will Soon Be Ready for Travel.

SAN LEANDRO, Aug. 29.—The work of removing the frame from the under side of the big arch is now almost completed and within a few days all the frame work will be removed.

The retaining wall on the north side has been built up to the road level, while the one on the other side will be built to the same height in several days.

After the retaining walls are completed the work of filling in the approaches to the bridge will commence, and to settle this earth as it is put in will require a great deal of water, which will be furnished by the Contra Costa Company free of charge.

It is thought that the work of filling in will commence the first of next week and from that time until the bridge is ready for traffic will be about a month. The earth which was taken from where the abutments are located will be used to fill in with, and considerable earth and gravel may have to be brought from other places.

## SAN LEANDRO WIDOW WANTS SHARE OF ESTATE.

Mrs. Maria Gawne Says Property Was Rented to Give Her an Income.

## LARGEST SUNFLOWER.

HAYWARDS, Aug. 28.—Leander Linekin has on exhibition in the window of Reid's drug store a giant sunflower that measures twenty-six inches in diameter. It is the largest sunflower yet seen in this section and was grown on Mr. Linekin's farm back of the Haywards hotel.

## SAN LEANDRO CLASS.

SAN LEANDRO, Aug. 29.—Next Saturday Miss Edith Jackson will organize a class in physical culture and elocution at the City Hall. It is expected that Miss Jackson will secure a large class, as a great many of the young ladies are much interested in her work.

## TIDAL CANAL WORK WILL BE COMPLETED.

SENATOR PERKINS RECEIVES TWO DISPATCHES FROM WASHINGTON.

## Officials Say There Will Be No Delay in the Harbor Improvement.

The dispute over the digging of the tidal canal at the eastern extremity of Oakland harbor has been settled, and the work, which has been held up in Washington by Congressmen Burton, chairman of the Rivers and Harbors Committee, will be proceeded with immediately. This is shown by the following dispatches which are self-explanatory, which have been received by Senator Perkins:

"WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 28.—Hon. George C. Perkins, U. S. S., Oakland, Cal.: Chief of Engineers has this day been instructed to complete contract for tidal canal, Oakland harbor.

"WILLIAM CARY SANGER, Assistant Secretary of War."

"WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 28.—Hon. George C. Perkins, U. S. S., Oakland, Cal.: I have advised Secretary of War that the Congressional provisions for improvement of Oakland harbor are mandatory and work should not be suspended to await further Congressional action. I understand this was your contention. Under the circumstances do you desire retreat?"

"KNOX, Attorney General."

The contract for the improvement has already been let and, in fact, some of the work is already advanced toward completion.

## CASTORIA.

The kind you have always bought.

Signature of *Chas. H. Plutkin*

## WILD INTIMATION AT HAYWARDS.

Candidate Blown Up With Powder and Carried Home on a Shutter.

HAYWARDS, Aug. 29.—With the arrival of Mr. Taylor in town on Tuesday, a large time followed, which will not be forgotten by a number of the residents for some time.

Taylor is the drummer for the Buffalo Brewing Company and when he lands in town something always happens. This time Taylor brought with him the secrets and the power to initiate members into the "Higher Order of Buffalos," not the "Eleven Cent Buffalo Order," but a genuine fraternal organization.

The early part of the evening was spent as is usual when Taylor is in town. He was followed around by a large and exceedingly happy crowd, which finally wound up at Louvre, where the affair of the evening was to take place.

The place was put in order for the occasion, and the two candidates, Frank Lake, better known as Billie Pinkerton, and Dr. Clark, were gotten ready to be initiated.

Lake decided to take all the degrees while he was about it and become, at once a full-fledged member. The doctor, however, said that one degree would be about all he wanted at one time. The crowd gathered around a box, which was placed in the center of the room. On the box stood Lake with one hand over his heart while the other was raised to take the oath, when suddenly "Oom Paul," master of ceremonies, kicked the box from under, the candidate in such a way as to cause him to fall into the same.

Then followed a noise which was calculated to impress the candidate with the importance of the ceremony. The noise consisted of a bunch of large firecrackers which had been set off in the box with the candidate. After several minutes the crowd managed to pull Lake from the box, which was shrouded in smoke, and he was taken at once to his home, where a physician was called to dress his wounds.

After Lake had received all that was coming to him and was safely carried home, Dr. Clark was taken through one degree, which he declared was enough. Lake is around again today, but looks a little the worse for his initiation. Taylor has gone back to Sacramento and everything has again settled down in the region of B. and Castro streets.

## BUSINESS AT HAYWARDS.

HAYWARDS, Aug. 29.—A short time ago Attorney E. G. Ryker purchased the interest of the Field estate in the Hayward Lumber Co. for \$15,000. This was a third interest in the business. The sale was confirmed by a Judge and the deeds have been transferred.

## OAKLAND LABORING MEN WILL HAVE AN INTERESTING HOLIDAY.

All the Unions in the City Will Be in Line on Monday.

## At the meeting, last night, of the executive committee of the Labor Day celebration which is to take place Monday next, September 2, arrange- ments were perfected for the marshaling of the laborers, mechanics and other tradesunionists in Alameda county.

This display will be the largest and most imposing labor demonstration that has ever taken place in this city. It is estimated that nearly 3,000 people will take part in it. Each union will be designated by a beautiful banner and some of the organizations will have two or more banners.

The formation of the line will be as follows: Police under Chief of Police Hodgkins.

Grand marshal, C. L. E. Wenk; J. P. Kiek and R. P. Poorman, chief aides.

First division—B. H. Taylor, marshal; band, district Council of Carpenters, Carpenters' Union No. 39; Carpenters' Union No. 194 of Alameda; Mill Hands' Union No. 559 of Oakland; Stair Builders' Union.

Second division—George E. Manes, marshal; band, Painters' Union No. 127; Lathers' Union, Cigar-makers' Union, Butchers' Union, etc.

Third division—M. A. McFonnis, marshal; band, Typographical Union, Pressmen's Union, Engineers' Union, Machinists' Union and Cooks' and Waiters' float.

Fourth division—G. K. Smith, marshal; band, Harbors' Union No. 134; Laundry Workers' Union and Retail Clerks' Association.

Fifth division—C. J. Tunmy, marshal; band, Teamsters' Union, Flour Mill Men, Stevedores' Union, Longshoremen's Union, and miscellaneous.

The procession will move at 10 a. m. and proceed from First street and Broadway up Broadway to Eighth, to Washington, to Fourteenth, to San Pablo, to Eighteenth, to Telegraph, to Broadway, to Seventh and counter-march to Fifteenth, where the men will be dismissed. Under the auspices of the Federated Trades Council an entertainment and ball will be given in the evening at Germania Hall. The proceeds of the affair will be devoted to the fund for carrying on the campaign for the enactment of the Chinese exclusion law.

## SLAPPED THE FACE OF THE EX-PRESIDENT.

Ex-President Carlos Ezeta and Dr. E. A. Calderon had a dispute in San Francisco last evening. Dr. Calderon slapped Ezeta in the face.

## BUILDING TRADES AGENT INJURED.

L. A. Miller Thrown From His Cart on Fruitvale Avenue.

FRUITVALE, Aug. 29.—Yesterday afternoon an exciting runaway took place on Fruitvale avenue, and as a result L. A. Miller, who is agent for the Building Trades Council of Oakland, received a slight cut on the knee and a number of bruises.

Mr. Miller was driving up the avenue when suddenly one side of the shafts on his buggy fell down, which frightened the horse.

The animal ran for several yards, when the big caught against the curb. The shaft broke loose and the horse went running up the street. When the buggy struck the curb Mr. Miller was thrown violently to the ground and by the time he gained his feet the horse was going up the road with the shaft dangling at its feet. Mr. Miller followed the horse to the foot of Redwood Hill, about three miles from the scene of the accident, before he caught the animal. When captured the horse was badly bruised about the hind legs from the shaft, which was dragging behind. The horse is an ex-racer and when once started will run for miles.

## HAS TYPHOID PNEUMONIA.

FRUITVALE, Aug. 29.—Ralph Fuller, who is a half brother of Rev. Mowbray of this place, is seriously ill with typhoid pneumonia. Dr. Callan has the case in charge.

## A TEACHER'S VISIT.

FRUITVALE, Aug. 29.—Prof. M. E. Caddy and F. Case have returned to Healdsburg after spending several weeks in this place. Prof. Caddy is a teacher in the Healdsburg College.

## GOES TO SAN JOSE.

FRUITVALE, Aug. 29.—W. B. Zimmerman, formerly of this place, is now connected with the street railroad in San Jose.

## JOHN TAYLOR'S TRIP.

FRUITVALE, Aug. 29.—John Taylor of this place has gone to Santa Rosa for a few days.

## LABOR UNIONS PREPARE FOR THE PARADE.

OAKLAND LABORING MEN WILL HAVE AN INTERESTING HOLIDAY.

All the Unions in the City Will Be in Line on Monday.

At the meeting, last night, of the executive committee of the Labor Day celebration which is to take place Monday next, September 2, arrangements were perfected for the marshaling of the laborers, mechanics and other tradesunionists in Alameda county.

This display will be the largest and most imposing labor demonstration that has ever taken place in this city. It is estimated that nearly 3,000 people will take part in it. Each union will be designated by a beautiful banner and some of the organizations will have two or more banners.

The formation of the line will be as follows: Police under Chief of Police Hodgkins.

Grand marshal, C. L. E. Wenk; J. P. Kiek and R. P. Poorman, chief aides.

First division—B. H. Taylor, marshal; band, district Council of Carpenters, Carpenters' Union No. 39; Carpenters' Union No. 194 of Alameda; Mill Hands' Union No. 559 of Oakland; Stair Builders' Union.

Second division—George E. Manes, marshal; band, Painters' Union No. 127; Lathers' Union, Cigar-makers' Union, Butchers' Union, etc.

Third division—M. A. McFonnis, marshal; band, Typographical Union, Pressmen's Union, Engineers' Union, Machinists' Union and Cooks' and Waiters' float.

Fourth division—G. K. Smith, marshal; band, Harbors' Union No. 134; Laundry Workers' Union and Retail Clerks' Association.

Fifth division—C. J. Tunmy, marshal; band, Teamsters' Union, Flour Mill Men, Stevedores' Union, Longshoremen's Union, and miscellaneous.

The procession will move at 10 a. m. and proceed from First street and Broadway up Broadway to Eighth, to Washington, to Fourteenth, to San Pablo, to Eighteenth, to Telegraph, to Broadway, to Seventh and counter-march to Fifteenth, where the men will be dismissed. Under the auspices of the Federated Trades Council an entertainment and ball will be given in the evening at Germania Hall. The proceeds of the affair will be devoted to the fund for carrying on the campaign for the enactment of the Chinese exclusion law.

SLAPPED THE FACE OF THE EX-PRESIDENT.

Ex-President Carlos Ezeta and Dr. E. A. Calderon had a dispute in San Francisco last evening. Dr. Calderon slapped Ezeta in the face.

## KEPT MARRIAGE A CLOSE SECRET.

Miss Fannie Hay, a Pleasanton Teacher, is the Wife of Arthur Ralph.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 29.—The secret leaked out Tuesday afternoon that one of Pleasanton's school teachers, Miss Fannie Hay, was married to Arthur Ralph of Centerville last April.

She surprised her many friends.

## LADIES ENTERTAINED AT A PLEASANTON HOME.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 29.—Mrs. Copp, Mrs. Geyser and Mrs. Weed entertained the "Ladies Aid" Tuesday afternoon in the parlor of the Presbyterian Church. A large number of people was in attendance. The parlor was tastefully decorated in yellow. After the business meeting was over, selections were read by Miss Della Hewitt and Miss Lily Harris, after which a lunch was served.

## CONCERT AT PLEASANTON.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 29.—The Pleasanton Band boys gave their regular open air concert last evening in the band stand. The selections for the evening were as follows:

March, "De Molay Commandery".....Hall  
Overture, "Impromptu".....Daly  
Lancers, "Columbia".....Felazzi  
Waltz, "Auf Wiedersehen".....Strauss  
(Till we meet again.)  
Two step, "The Chariot".....Souza  
Mr. Foley is conductor.

## CHILDREN TO PICK HOPS.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 29.—The Pleasanton public school will have one more week of school before hop-picking season. The school will close to allow the children to pick hops.

## BUILDING IS MOVED.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 29.—A small building formerly belonging to J. Lewis has been removed to the corner of St. Mary's street and Pleasanton avenue, and will be occupied by Frank Olivera.

## PLEASANTON NATIVES.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 29.—A number of Native Daughters from the Verona Chapter will attend the celebration at San Jose on the 9th of September.

## WILL GIVE A DANCE.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 29.—The Pleasanton Band boys will give a dance Saturday evening, August 30, in the Nevis Pavilion.

## MISS WOODWORTH'S RETURN.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 29.—Miss Lena Woodworth of Lodi, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Person, returned home Saturday.

## PORTUGUESE PICNIC.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 29.—A large crowd attended the picnic given by the Pleasanton P. E. C. Portuguese Lodge Sunday. The Pleasanton Band played.

## RECOVERS FROM ILLNESS.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 29.—Mrs. E. M. Heller has recovered from her late illness and left Tuesday afternoon for a visit in the city.

## WILL GO TO PESCADERO.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Weed will spend their vacation at Pescadero during hop-picking season.

## GUEST FROM OAKLAND.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 29.—Miss Lolla Hackett of Oakland is the guest of Miss Modest Hardin this week.

## MRS. BAILEY'S TRIP.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 29.—Mrs. Bailey of Stockton is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Walters this week.

## GOES TO SAN FRANCISCO.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 29.—Mrs. Heller left Tuesday afternoon for San Francisco, where she will spend a few weeks.

## VISITED AT PLEASANTON.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 29.—Miss Flora Beck and friend of Livermore were visitors in town Sunday.

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## TO BE GIVEN BENEFIT AT THE DEWEY THEATER.

Camp Colonel Liscum No. 15, Service Men of the Spanish-American War, will have a benefit at the Dewey Theater tomorrow evening. The theater has been donated by Manager Landers Stevens for the evening, and the young soldiers are depending upon this event to put the camp in good financial condition and give them new quarters and equipment.

Much interest has been taken in the benefit, General S. M. E. Young, the commander of the Department of California, who commanded many of these young men in the Philippine Islands, has promised to be present and will be the guest of honor for the evening.